



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**AMENDMENT "B" Accompanying RCE  
and  
Petition for Extension of Time**

APPLICANT: Helmut WEINER CONFIRMATION NO.: 3677  
SERIAL NO.: 10/009,539 GROUP ART UNIT: 2625  
FILING DATE: October 29, 2001 EXAMINER: James A. Thompson  
INVENTION: "METHOD, SYSTEM AND COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR  
COMPRESSING AND TRANSMITTING IMAGE RASTER DATA"

**MAIL STOP RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

**Petition**

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents for a three month extension of time in the period of response for the Office Action dated April 17, 2006, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and are enclosing a check for the \$1020.00 fee so that the period of response is extended from July 17, 2006, to October 17, 2006.

**Response**

In response to the final Office Action dated April 17, 2006, Applicants submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and propose amendment of the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 12.

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